Prices, However, Are Well Maintained When Shorts Cease Active Bidding.

OVERSOLD CONDITION IS APPARENT TODAY

Weak Spots Appear in Union Pacific, Tennessee Copper and St. Paul. Some New Low Records.

NEW YORK, October 17 .- On a sale of 1.600 shares. Union Pacific opened a point lower today at 147. Canadian Pacific and

Exhaustion of selling pressure enabled the list to rally fractionally, after the Canadian Pacific .... 222% 224 early selling orders had been executed. The Mexican situation was the most talked of influence today in restraining buying, but there were other considerations which accounted for the indifferent

apparent today. Early selling was due part to closing out of impaired margin accounts and when this process was completed large operators began to Chi. & Northw'n com. 12634 12634 12634 12634 work for a rally, on the theory that such C. St. P. M. & O.pfd. 1301/2 1301/2 a movement was justified by the extent

In spite of the heavy shrinkage in market values recently, no sizeable demand from investors has been stimulated, it was said by commission houses, and the buying which sent up prices was the re-sult of professional initiative, with cover-ing of short contracts a considerable

## Trade Languishes on Upturn.

downward movement had partially discounted the recognized unfavorable influences, but they were unwilling to back, Erie Railroad 1st pfd. 40% these assertions with aggressive buying. and trading langu'shed on the upturn. Gains of a point or so were established in some of the favorable issues, including Amalgamated, Reading and Steel. When the shorts discovered that there

was a plentiful supply of stock they Great Northern pfd.. 1201/4 ceased active bidding, but prices were Great Northern Ore.. 301/2 Some weak spots cropped out among Havana Electric com. 80

Pacific preferred, Tennessee Copper and Disadvantageous market cond'tions enabled the bear faction to start renewed Inspiration Copper... 15 liquidation in some of the more vulnerable stocks. Rock Island shares fell to the year's lowest, and there was a suspension of the demand which had benefited

many of the standard issues. Pennsylvania went back to its low point on rumors of a billion-dollar mort- Kan. City Sou. com. . 23 gage for refunding purposes and future Lehigh Valley ..... 148 2 1491/2 1481/2 Trading was less active during the

early afternoon and fluctuations were Mackay pfd...... 65 65 more or less irregular, but active mont's Mexican Petroleum. 641/8 641/8 tinued covering and reports of higher Miami Copper..... 22
spot markets.

Mexican Petroleum. 64%
Miami Copper...... 22
Minn. & St. L. com... 1414

# COTTON MARKETS.

NEW YORK

NEW YORK. October 17.-There was a enewal of yesterday's buying at the pening of the cotton market today. First prices were firm at an advance of 11 to New York Central... 93% 22, with October showing the maximum N.Y., C. & St. L.com. 53

prices at midday were 3 or 4 points off. Estimated receipts today, 99,000 bales.

### NEW ORLEANS. NEW ORLEANS, October 17 .- Cotton

ut re opened steady, at an advance of the western portions of the cotton on. The forecast of somewhat colder her, with frosts in the panhandle of her, with frosts in the panhandle of cas stimulated more buying, and after e call the market stood 11 to 12 points. This advance bought out much realing of profits on the long side, and the offerings were sufficiently heavy to weight against the market, although no rea, weakeness resulted. At the end of the first half hour of business prices were 6 to 7 points over

week were eager for profits, and their Union Pacific pfd.... 81% offerings held the market within rather U.S. Realty...... 56% narrow limits, finally becoming heavy U.S. Rubber com... 581/4 581/4 581/4 Late in the morning the market stood U.S. Rubber pfd.... 1031/8 1031/8 1031/8 with the closing level of yesterday. At once prices were at a net rise of three U.S. Steel com..... 531/2 541/6 533/8

# LIVERPOOL.

LIVERPOOL, October 17.—Cotton—Spot in fair demand; prices firm; middling fair, 8.66; good middling, 7.76; middling, 7.64; low middling, 7.42; good ordinary, 6.76; ordinary, 6.42. Sales, 1.000 bales, including 7.500 American Westinghouse Elec... 6334 65 6.92; September and October, 6.68; October and November, 656.

Weekly cotton statistics:
Imports. All kinds, 177,000 bales; imports. American, 137,000; stock, all kinds, 482,000; stock, American, 303,000; American forwarded, 75,000; exports, 2,300.

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## VETERAN PILOT FINED.

# Mason E. Griggs Runs Afoul of

Myron E. Griggs, eighty years old, was fined \$3 by Judge Mullowny in the Police Court today for violating the traffic regulation which prohibits turnin corner-automobiles and other vehicles without driving around the center of the intersecting streets, if the turn is made to the

Griggs' chief defense was the fact that forty years of his life had been spent as a pilot on a steamer on the Potomac, and during that time had never run into any one, proving that he was amply able to handle anything that required careful steering, whether on land or sea. Judge Mullowny assured Mr. Griggs that he had faith in his ability, but told him he had violated a "rule of the road" and must pay \$3 for his transgression, which the veteran pilot did.

## INEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

change gas 5 per cent bonds again sold at 1054 and there were not enough to supply the demand at that price. A Capital Traction bond sold for 107 and then the asking price went half a point higher with the bid at 106%. A Washington Railway bond sold for 81, and a Potomac Consoli

The trading in railway stocks was limted. There was quite a demand for odd lots of Capital Traction stock, for which bids were made at 115% and 115%. A quotation offering at 115% was the same as that of yesterday, as was the bid o

one ten-share lot sold for 216% and that general meeting of creditors was was the bid for more, with the asking an effort to prevent bankruptcy. lotel Rammel last night re-elected the following directors: A. A. Chapin, George P. Sacks, S. C. Redman, Charles G. Pfluger, Louis P. Krey, William G. Carter, Norman T. Engel, G. Taylor Wade, W. A. H. Church. The usual 10 per cent dividend was declared. Of-

## Washington Stock Exchange. Sa'es-Regular call, 12 o'clock poon:

11 gapital Traction, 10 at 115%.

Washington Gas 5a, \$1,000 at 105½, \$1,000 at 105½.

Capital Traction 5s \$1,000 at 107.

Potomac Cons. 5s, \$1,000 at 93½.

Washington Railway and Electric pfd., 10 at 90½, 5 at 00½, 5 at 90½.

Washington Gas. 25 at 84½, 10 at 84%, 10 at 84½, 25 at 84½, 25 at 84½.

Mergenthaler, 5 at 216½, 5 at 216½, 10 at 216½.

Commercial National Bank, 10 at 195.

Continental Trust 10 at 116½.

	Continental Trust 10 at 116%.	100.	
2	Continental Trust 10 at 110%.		
100 E	After call-Capital Traction, 1	11 1104	4, 5 at
8	11514.		
4	GOVERNMENT BOND		200
•		Bid.	Asked.
	U. S. registered 2s	91%	95%
,	U. S. coupon 2s	94%	8674
8	U. S. registered 3s	1021/4	103 8
5	U. S. coupon 3s	1021/	10316
70.0	U. S. registered 4s	108%	110%
8	U. S. coupon 48	108%	109%
	GAS BONDS.	2-0-0	
	Washington Gas 5s	10514	106
	RAILROAD BONDS.		
	Cantial Traction in	1009/	107
	Capital Traction 5s	106%	101
	Columbia 5s	99	102
	Cr umb.a 6s	100	100
6	Metropolitan 5s	104	
•	Washington Rwy. and Elec. 4s	81	81%
	Wash., Alex. and Mt. V. 5s		91
162	MISCELLANEOUS BON		
	Potomac Electric Cons. 5s	99	991/2
	Potomac E ectric Light 5s	104	
	Chesapeake and Potomac Tel. 5s	1021/2	105
	American Tel. and Te.ga. 48	90	
	American Tel. and Telga. 41/48	90	
10	Washington Market 5s. 1027		103
	Washington Market 5s, 1947		108
,	Wash ngton Cold Storage 5s		108
4	Norfolk and Wash. Steamboat 5s	104%	
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	Capital Traction	115	11514
4	Washington Rwy, and Elec. com	96	9,
55/3	Washington Rwy, and Elec. pfd	80	91
2	Norfolk and Wash, Steambost	185	200
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-	Georgetown Gas	100	110
6	American Tol and Tolera	191"	2.95

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571/2	Washington Rwy, and Elec. pfd	90	
140.00 (Sept.)	Norfolk and Wash. Steamboat	185	
015%	Washington Gas	•84	
	Georgetown Gas		
63/8	American Tel. and Telga	121	
231/4	TYPE MACHINE STOCK	48.	
III (SA)	Mergenthaler Linotype		
49	Lanston Mosotype	80%	
301/2	MINING STOCK.	2: 10	
MERCHANIS	Greene-Cananea	8	
611/2	NATIONAL BANK STOC	we	ļ
631/4	American		
DOMEST POP	Columbia	250	
223/8	Commercial	1.0	
SSCT-9852/NS	District	1454	
141/2	Federal	135	
351/2	Lincoln	160	
0.72	Metropolitan	185	

1/2	Lincoln	160
	Metropolitan	185
7	Riggs	550
9%	Second	145
573	National Bank of Washington	240
834		400
20.0 F2	TRUST COMPANY STOC	A.S.
9	American Security and Trust	
5 35 mil	National Savings and Trust	260
0%	Union Trust	1831/
53/6	Washington Loan and Trust	220
78	United States Trust	132
11/4	Continental Trust	115%
- Charles	SAVINGS BANK STOCK	
	Home	375
10	Bank of Commerce and Savings	13
1/2	East Washington	16
	Characteristic College	
200	FIRE INSURANCE STOC	
)	Arlington	111/2
201 (45)	Corcoran	19
3	Firemen's	
516	German-American	260
الدائدى	Nationa. Un.on	6
314	TITLE INSUBANCE STO	CHA
	Columbia	514
5		85
114	Real Estate	

CHICAGO, October 17.—Hogs—Receipts, 18,000 head; dull; buik of sa es, 7.95a8.30; light 7.75a8.35; mixed, 7.8va 8.45; heavy, 7.75a8.40; rough, 7.75a7.50; pigs, 5.00a8.00.

Cattle—Receipts, 2,000 head; steady; beeves, 6.85a9.55; Texas steers, 6.30a7.90; stockers and feeders, 5.20a7.65; cows and heifers, 3.50a8.30; calves, 7.00a11.00.

Sheep—Receipts, 8,000 head; native, 3.90a5.00; yearlings, 5.00a6.00; lambs, native, 5.75a7.15.

Butter—Steady and unchanged; receipts, 6,947 tubs.

Cheese—Barely steady; receipts, 1,111 boxes; state, whole milk, white, specials, 164a16½; do. white average fancy, 16; Wisconsin, whole milk, flats, best, 16a16½; do. twins, best, 16a16½.

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# FOREIGN BOURSES.

BERLIN, October 17. — The favorable weekly bank return gave the bourse a strong tone today. The foreign section was a weak exception and Canadan Pa-

8914 cific fell four points on New York advices.

# pfennigs.

Exchange on London, 20 marks 461/4

NEW YORK CURB PRICES.

Ten Years for Attack on Life. Chief Justice Clabaugh, presiding in Criminal Court No. 1, sentenced Arthur Ferguson to ten years in the penitentiary today on a charge of assault with intent to kill his wife, Annie M. Ferguson,

## at the workhouse. Boy He'd Under Game Laws. George Skinner, thirteen years old, of Fort Reno, D. C., was arrested today on

laws of the District this season. It was charged by the police that he went out with his dog and k'lled a rabbit. He was released on \$2 collateral for appearance in Juvenile Court tomorrow.

# Fire in Business Section.

Emile Beauvais, hairdresser, who is charged by his wife, Adele Beauvais, with kidnaping their two-year-old son and taking it to Maryland, was ordered today by Justice Stafford to return the child to this jurisdiction. The court will decide later the question of allowing the wife to see the child at intervals.

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# IN BANKRUPTCY

John H. Nolan's Voluntary Action-Debts, \$389,554.46; Assets, \$465,850.08.

John H. Nolan, contractor and builder, stituted. The bid remained unchanged from that of yesterday and was 96. Ten shares of the preferred stock sold for 90% and two five-share lots sold at 90%. A couple of quotation lots of gas stock sold for 84% and 84% and some odd lots at about the same level. A further sale of a quotation lot was have been the cause of the failure. further sale of a quotation lot was have been the cause of the failure. made at 84 %. The bid was then 84 Mr. Nolan's financial affairs became inand the asking price three-eighths of volved to such an extent that September 8 last, he tells the court, he had prepar-

general meeting of creditors was held in price an eighth of a point higher.

The stockholders of the Chapin-Sacks
Manufacturing Company at their annual meeting in Alexandria at the committee recommended the selection of a trustee to take over the property and manage it in the interest of the creditors. Bates Warren, a lawyer and operator in real estate, was selected as trustee.

## Some Creditors Decline.

An agreement was then prepared counsel for Mr. Nolan for the signatures of all his creditors allowing the transfer to Mr. Warren. More than sixty creditors representing claims amounting to nearly 80 per cent of the indebtedness signed the paper. Other creditors declined to join in the agreement, and Mr. Nolan was compelled to file a petition in bankruptcy.
Without waiting for the creditors' meet-

ing several mechanics to whom Mr. Nolan is indebted filed a proceeding against him in the Bankruptcy Court, and a question arose today whether the adjudication should be involuntary or under Mr. Nolan's voluntary petition. Justice Gould disposed of the matter by ordering an adjudication on both petitions.

Receiver Asked for.

Mr. Nolan's counsel asked for a repending the selection of a trustee in

# GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

CHICAGO. CHICAGO, October 17. - Wheat today

suffered a fresh decline on account of Liverpool weakness and depression in Wail street.

Continued heavy receipts at Winnipeg operated also as a weight on the market. The break in prices, however, led to some short covering and to moderate purchases by commission concerns. Opening figures were %a% to % lower, with the market later showing a slight reac-

In spite of a big drop in cable quo-tations, corn developed strength. Rainy weather over the entire shipping belt was what chiefly aided the bulls. Prices at the outset ranged from % lower to % vance and there was a subsequent r Oats, which at first turned downwa with wheat, rallied when corn be an bulge. Most of the buyers were short

In provisions 'eading packers gave su port and upheld the market in the fa of a decline at the yards. First sai varied from 2½ off to a rise of 10 cents.

Butter—Unchanged.

Eggs—Unchanged: receipts, 4,435 case
Potatoes—Higher. Receipts, sixty car
Michigan and Wiscons.n, 57a68; Mir
nesota and Ohio, 63a65.

Poultry—Unchanged.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK October 17.-Flour-Low

to sell. Opening lower under we cables, wheat soon steadled on covering December, 92% ab 2%.

Pork—Steady. Beef-Quiet. Lard-Steady. Petroleum-Steady.

Hay-Firm; standard, 1.02/41.05; No. 1.07\square a1.10; No. 2, 95a1.00. Leather-Firm. Sugar-Raw steady; muscovado, 2.5

Sugar—Raw steady; muscovado, 2.98; centrifugal, 3.48; molasses, 2.73. Refined unchanged to 15 points higher; cut loaf, 5.20; crushed, 5.10; mo.d A, 4.75; cubes, 4.50; XXXX powdered, 4.40; powdered, 4.35; fine granulated, 4.25; diamond A, 4.25; confectioners' A, 4.10; No. 1 4.15. Butter—Steady and unchanged; receipts, 6,947 tubs.

Cheese—Barely steady; receipts, 1.111

Corn-Receipts, 18.495 bushels. Oats—Easier; standard wh.te, 44; sa es; No. 3 white, 4314; sales. Receipts, 3,468 Rye-Dull; No. 2 western domestic, 71a

# Hay-Steady; unchanged. Grain freights-Steady; unchanged.

LIVERPOOL. LIVERPOOL, October 17 .- Wheat-Spot weak; No. 1 new Manitoba, 6s 10d; No. 2 old Manitoba, 7s 2d; No. 3 old Manitoba, 7s 1d; futures, weak; December, 6s 9%d; March, 6s 10%d; May, 6s 10%d. Hops in London (Pacific coast), 26 10sa £7 10s.

bing Clothing Merchant.

Joseph E. Dennison and Albert R. Robertson, the two soldiers from the Washington barracks, who, the police declare, beat up and robbed Abraham Yockelson. a second-hand merchant, and then led the police and soldiers an all night chase in the marshes around Long bridge, were arraigned on charges of robbery in the Police Court today. Both pleaded guilty, and at the suggestion of Assistant United States Attorney Ralph Given Judge Pugh fixed the bond for their release pending moved ... eguianty uning .... ... enoun. the first charge of violating the game the action of the grand jury at \$3,000

The soldiers say they realize that they were "caught with the goods on," literally, as they were wearing the clothes said to have been stolen from the secondi and merchant at the time of their cap-ture by Detective Raymond Kleind.enst and Bicycle Policeman Edward Harney early last Friday morning.

For the District of Columbia, increasing cloudiness, followed by rain late tonight or Saturday; moderate temperature; light to moderate variable winds.

eastward, and the winds have subsided Thursday. Another disturbance is centra! this morning over the middle Mississippi and the southern plains states. Generally fair weather prevailed over the far western districts and the eastern states. A further fall in temperature is rewhile moderate temperatures continue over the Mississippi valley and the districts east thereof. The indications are that the weather

The temperature will be lower tonigh and Saturday in the Mississippi and Ohio valleys and the Gulf states, and Saturday in the lower lake region. Moderate temperatures will continue in the east-

Storm warnings ere displayed on Lake Michigan and Huron, The winds along the New England coast will be moderate north, becoming east; on the middle and south Atlantic coasts light variable; on the east Gulf coast light variable, becoming north and northwest

thermometer and barometer at the weather bureau for the twenty-four hours beginning at 2 p.m. yeste day:
Thermometer—Yesterday, 4 p.m., 72; 8 p.m., 61; 12 midnight, 55; today, 4 a.m., 52; 8 a.m., 52; 12 noon, 65; 2 p.m., 66. Mt ximum, 72 at 4 p.m. yesterday; minimum, 50 at 6 a.m. today. imum, 67; minimum, 37.

Condition of the Water.

ceiver to finish two apartment houses 8 a.m.: Great Falls-Temperature, 66; conand to care for his various interests dition, 30. Dalecarlia reservoir-Temperature, 64; condition at north connection 26; condition at south connection, 40. Justice Gould appointed Bates War-ren receiver to take charge of the estate pending the trustee's election. He fixed the bond of the receiver at Georgetown distributing reservoir-Tem-

Tide Tables.

Today-Low tide, 3:27 a.m. and 3:2 p.m.; high tide, 9:12 a.m. and 9:20 p.m. Tomorrow-Low tide, 4:08 a.m. and 3:55 p.m.; high tide, 9:51 a.m. and 10:02 p.m.

The Sun and Moon. Today-Sun rose 6:11 a.m.; sun sets Tomorrow-Sun rises 6:12 a.m.

Lights on vehicles. Lights on all vehicles in motion or at rest on the streets are required by the police regulations to be lighted today at 5:48 p.m.

Weather in Various Cities.

Stations.	Barometer	Tempe Highest yesterday	I lowest alght.	Reinfall	State of weather.
Abilene, Tex.		64		0.30	
Albany		62	54		Cloudy
Atlantic City.	30.14	68	48		Clear
Bismarck		54	26 54	0.02	Cest
Boston		58		0.32	Cloudy
Buffalo		60	46		Pt.cloudy
Charleston		80	62	4 ***	Clear
Chicago		56	54	0.50	Rain
Cincinnati Cleveland		64	60 56	0.02	Condy
Denver		54	36		Cloudy
Detroit		60	54	0.01	Rain
Galveston		- 82	68	0.58	Cloudy
Helena		44	26		Cear
Jacksonville		84	60		Cest
Kansas City		50	44	1.84	Cloudy
Los Ange es		76	60		Clear
Louisville		76	62		Rain .
New Orleans.		82	70		Coudy
New York		68	50		Cear
Oklahoma		52	48	0.50	Coudy
Philadelphia		66	52		Clear
Pittsburgh		72	54	11/1	Cloudy
Port and. Me.		56	52	0.26	Cloudy
Portland, Ore.		54	44	****	Coudy
Salt Lake C		54	36	+	Clear
San Diego		70	56		Clear
S. Francisco		68	54	****	Clear
St. Louis		74	54	****	Ran
St. Paul		50 72	40	****	Cloudy
WASH., D.C.	30.10	12	50		Pt.cloud

Up-River Waters.

Special Dispatch to The Star. HARPERS FERRY, W. Va., October 17.-Potomac river clear and Shenandoah very cloudy this morning.

# ARMY-NAVY.

Capt. Geo:ge P. Hawes, jr., Coast Artil-

Army Orders.

The transfer of each of the following named officers of the Coast Art.llery Corps will become effective on the date defendant's attorneys. Neale & England.

Leave for two months granted Capt. ry & Son and G. T Dunlop.

Ulysses G. Worr.low, 15th infantry, u. o. Sawyer agt. National Union: defendant his arrival in the United States; Maj. Clint C. Hearn. Coas. A. tinery Corps. detailed as a member of the board of officers, vice Maj. Alston Hamilton, Coas. Artilery Corps; Capt. Quint Gray. Coast. Artilery Corps; Capt. Quin. Gray, Coast railway; demurrer sustained to first plea artillery Corps, detailed as a member of and overruled as to second plea, with ten the coast artillery board, For. Monroe, days to reply; plaintiff's attorne, s, Pe er, Va., vice Capt. Harry C. Barnes, Coas. Ray, Whiting defendant's attorney, Artillery Corps, nereby reneveu; Caps. George P. Hoover. William H. Moncrief, medical Corps, will report to Fort Myer, Va., for temporary

Capt. Arthur M. Shipp, 20th Infantry, Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed. 7½d; detailed as a member of the joint board of officers of the army and the navy, vice futures weak; November (La Plata), 4s 11¾d.

Brig. Gen. William H. Bixby, United States Army, retired, relieved.

# LONDON MARKET.

LONDON, October 17.—Money was in small supply and discount rates were easy today.

The stock market passed another

ican rails, Canadian Pacific, Brazilian securities and Rio Tintos, while Mexican rails were affected by the political situation in Mexico and Grand Trunk shares were weak on poor traffic returns. Gilt-edged securities were Johnson agt. Yellott & Stubblefield: turns. Gilt-edged securities were Johnson agt. Yellott & Stubblefield; quietly supported but the rest of the motion for new trial overruled and judgmarket closed at the lowest point. The ment on verdict for plaintiff for \$278.33; failure of a small broker accentuated the degression.

J. H. Zabel: defendant's attorney, H. American securities open d steady an Winsh'p Wheatley.

Amalgamated Copper was hrm and higher, but Canadian Pacific was weak and lost over a point, while the rest of the list showed slight changes either side on parity. In the afternoon New York offered stocks and the market declined and closed easy.

Bar silver steady, 284d per ounce.

Money, 3424 per cent.

Discount rates—Short bills, 4% per cent.

month bills, 4424 15-16 per cent.

# THE COURTS.

Present: The Chief Justice, Mr. Justice McKenna, Mr. Justice Holmes, Mr. Jus-tice Day, Mr. Justice Lurton, Mr. Justice Hughes, Mr. Justice Van Devanter, Mr. Justice Lamar and Mr. Justice Pitney. Charles Morris Howard of Baltimore, Md.; Richard H. Pleasants of Baltimore. Md.; George E. Gorman of Chicago, Ill., and Thomas B. Sullivan of Carthage, No. 423 Frank Guinn and J. J. Beal agt. the United States; leave granted to file brief of Mr. John H. Burford as amicus

cu: iae, on motion of Mr. Charles J. Kap-pler, in that behalf. No. 423. Frank Guinn and J. J. Beall agt. the United States; one hour and a half allowed each side in the argument. on motion of Mr. Joseph W. Balley for Guinn and Beal.

Argument commenced by Mr. Joseph W. Bailey for Guinn and Beal.
Mr. Attorne, General McReynolds presented Mr. John W. Davis of West Virginla as solicitor general of the United States, and it was ordered that his comission be recorded. The Chief Justice announced that a notions noticed for today would be heard tomorrow, and that the court would then commence the call of the docket, pursuant to the twenty-sixth rule.

## Court of Appeals.

Present: The Chief Justice, Mr. Justice Robb and Mr. Justice Van Orsdel. John Dudley Smith and Sidney F. Taliaferro were admitted to practice.

No. 2540. Miller agt. United States; on motion of Mr. C. R. Wilson, time for appellee to file supplemental brief extended

to October 22. No. 2538. Keetowah Society agt. Lane; No. 2527. Hall agt. McAllister; argument continued by Mr. W. G. Johnson for appellees and concluded by Mr. H. E. Davis for appellant. No. 2533. District of Columbia agt Wood; argument commenced by Mr. F

Wood; argument commenced by Mr. F. H. Stephens for appellant, continued by Mr. J. N. England and Mr. W. C. English for appellee and concluded by Mr. F. H. Stephens for appellant.

No. 2525. Capuzaya Mining Company agt. Tulloch; argument commenced by Mr. John Ridout for appellant, continued by Mr. C. E. Emig for appellee and concluded by Mr. John Ridout for appellant.

No. 2527. Hall agt. McAllaster; argument commenced by Mr. H. E. Davis for appellant.

District Supreme Court. EQUITY COURT NO. 1-Justice Gould

Parker agt. Parker; absolute divorce decreed; plaintiff's attorney, George F. Collins; defendant's attorneys, J. C. Foster and B. L. Gaskins.

Keyser agt. Byron; auditor's report confirmed; plaintiff's attorneys, R. L. Downing and G. A. Berry; defendant's attorneys, Brandenburg & Brandenburg. Sharpe agt. Page; decrees pro confesso; plaintiff's attorney, W. K. Quin-

fendant's attorneys, McLanahan & fendant's attorneys, McLanahan & granting permission to borrow; attorney.

Burton.

Linney agt. Camp; decree quieting

Estate of Sarah B. Hinds; will dated

defendant's attorneys, J. A. Burkart EQUITY COURT NO. 2-Justice Stafford. Crawford agt. Crawford; cause consoli-

dated with equity 32146; plaintiff's attorneys, D. W. Baker and W. A. Coombe; defendant's attorney, W. R. Andrews.

Howard agt. Ormdorf; order of publication; plaintiff's attorney, George C. Gert-

o'Neil agt. Dulin; order of publication; plaintiff's attorney, George C. Gertman.

District National Bank agt. Mollohan; leave granted to amend bill; plaintiff's attorneys, C. F. Carusi, J. L. Cassin and R. A. Ford.

Rixford agt. Keane; hearing on rule as to receiver continued until October 31; plaintiff's attorney, F. A. Fenning; defen ant's attorneys, Ellis & Donaldson and W. J. Lambert.

and W. J. Lambert.
Guinsberg agt. Guinsberg; proof ordered taken before W. H. Shipley, examiner; plaintiff's attorneys, Wilson & Barksdale; defendant's attorney, R. F. Downing.
Harris agt. Harris; rule as to alimony

S'mpson-Sullivan Co. agt. Burn; motion for judgment overruled; plaintiff's attor-ney, M. J. Colbert; defendant's attorney.

Prall agt Knorr et al; motion to set day for trial granted, and set for No-vember 11, 1913; plaintiff's attorney, E. M. Prall; defendant's attorney, Hayden

Sayles agt. Borden; motion for new trial

CIRCUIT COURT NO. 2-Justice Anderspecified after each name: Capt. James
To.ten, January 1, 1914; Capt. Harry C.
Ba.nes, November 1, 1913; Capt. Claude
E. Brigham, November 1, 1918.

Leave for two months granted Capt. German's attorneys, Near of England.

Knowles agt. Capital Traction Company; motion to strike out sixth count of declaration overruled, with ten days to p'ead; plaint ff's attorney, W. J. Lambert Chillium Castle Manor-Woodford bert; defendant's attorneys, R. Ross PerD. Harlan to Charles A. Johnson.

tion; attorney, O. A. Bigoness.
United States agt. Ray Potter, adultery;
plea, guilty; remanded; attorney, J. C.
Foster. United States agt. Thomas R. Taylor, adultery; sentenced to jail for one year; CHILLUM CASTLE HEIGHTS (NORTH ADD:TION)—Washington Land and Mortrage Company to Conrad Lutz. adultery; on trial; attorney, Thomas L. United States agt. Lorenzo Walston, robbery; recognizance \$1,000, taken with S. H. Walker, surety; attorney, M. F.

United States agt. Frank Parker, depre-

Potomac Sand and Gravel Company agt. Colburn Bros.; motion to calendar granted, and case set for trial October 29. 1913. Brothers; estimated cost, \$35,000. plaintiff's attorney. C. W. Claggett; defendant's attorney, E. L. Gies. Zimmerman agt. Fowler; motion to va cate judgment overruled, appeal; super-sedeas bond, \$400; plaintiff's attorney, C. C. Hackett; defendant's attorneys, Neale

plaintiff's attorney. Percy Metager; delendant's attorney, R. A. Hooe. Williaams agt. Benton (two cases); verdict for defendants; plaintiff's attorne, W. P. Plumley; defendant's attorney, D. James agt. Tyler; verdict for plaintiff FINANCIAL

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property; plaintiff's attorney, Andrew Wilson; defendant's attorney, J. A.

DISTRICT COURT—Justice Wright. In re building line of Lanier place; hearing concluded. In re extension of Western avenue; jury sworn and hearing set for November 7.

PROBATE COURT—Justice Stafford. Estate of Eliza Maher; will dated April 22, 1904, filed. Estate of Louise Dresel; will admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to Alfred B. Leet and Cornelius C. Billings; bond, \$1,500; attorney D. N. Hous-Estate of John E. Crittenden; order to make certain payments; attorney, J. Bar-Coleman agt. Wood; order authorizing trustee to make investment; plaincause; attorney, M. W. Sullivan. tiff's attorney, W. C. Clepnane; delight Estate of Thomas E. Miller; order

Real Estate Transfers.

V STREET NORTHWEST between 10th and 11th sttreets-William H. Co. et ux. to Thomas A. Cox, lot 8 and part of lot 9. square 331; \$10. Thomas A. Cox conveys same property to Robert R. Colbert, M. Herbert John-son, William H. Cowan, W. Melville Lee, Sophia Lewis and E. Bernard Taylor; \$10.

pany to Washington-Virgin a Ra lway Company, all interest in property for-maily acquired from second party; \$10.

PETWORTH—Simon Oppenhelmer et ux.

to Ralph N. Moyer and Emma L.

Moyer, lot 47 block 32; \$10.

RICHMOND PARK—Richmond Park Improvement Company to Robert E. L.

Wiltberger, lot 5, square 2062; \$10.

TENTH STREET AND MARYLAND AVENUE NORTHEAST-William H. Saunders et al., trustees, to Charles and Kate S. Nicholson, part lot 14, square 961; \$5.000.

NOS. 1345 AND 1347 U STREET NORTHWEST—Garfield A. Street to Thomas W. Stubblefield lots 25 and

26, square 236; \$10.

MOUNT PLEASANT—Lewis E. Beuninger et ux. to Marvin H. McIntyre and Linn L. Kennedy. trustees, lot 730, square 2591; \$10.
HALL PLACE NORTHWEST near W Contract completed place—Lew's E. Breunin er et ux. to Veterinary and

square 1900: \$10. GRANT PARK-John P. F. White, et Animal Hospital. ux. to William Mingo, lots 9 and square 5247; \$10. NO. 9°0 NORTH CAROLINA VENUE SOUTHEAST—Henry C. Espey trus-tee, to George W. and Kate E. Smith, lot 24 square 942; \$10. NO. 1823 T STREET NORTHWEST—

Mollie M. Main to Alphonse Gouldman, lot 21, square 131 \$10. STREET NORTHWEST between 14th and 15th streets-Walter DeV. Harrison to Frank B. Kohlman. lots 40, 41 and part lot 14, square 202; \$10.

PETWORTH-Lester H. Holsinger et ux.
to Charles A. Peters. lot 85. square

211 INDIANA AVENUE NORTHWEST-

Emmett L. Pettit et ux. to Hiram C and Miriam Pettit, lot B. square 572; 1346 EAST CAPITOL STREET NORTHEAST—Agnes J. Watson to John T. Watson, lot 49, square 1935: lots 13 to 16, square 3386: \$10

PLEASANT PLAINS-Frank L. Evans et

ux to James A Davidson, part lot NO. 1 02 14TH STREET NORTHWEST-Robert Lee O'Brien et ux. to Florence V. Creamer, part original lots 1 and 2, square 210; \$10. CHEVY CHASE-David D. Chadwick et ux. to Horace C. Chandlee, lot 56, square 1864; \$10.

INTEREST—Fizabeth A. Hilton et al to
Miriam B. Hilton, all interest in estate
of Walter E. Hilton; \$10

NO. 1608 34TH STREET NORTHWEST—

Bertha Oettinger et vir. Henry, to Davenport B. Elg'n, lot 187, square PINEHURST—Theresa A. Williams to Frances S. Nichols, lot 7, block 3; NO. 924 1ST STREET SOUTHWEST-Frances S. Nichols to Theresa A Will NO. 1219 34TH STREET NORTHWEST-Susan R. Merriam to Arthur C. Mer-

ADD:TION)-Washington Land and Mortrage Company to Conrad Lutz. lots 69 and 70, square 3714; \$1,200. SIXTEENTH STREET HIGHLANDS-Holmes Central Realty Corporation to
Ada B. Carrison, lot 53 and part lots
52 and 54, square 2721; \$10

LE DROIT PARK-L. G. Fletcher to Mahala R. De G. Fletcher, lot 29, block
10; \$50.

# Building Permits.

Building nermits were issued today to

the following Kennedy Brothers, to build dwellings at 720 to 732 Quebec street northwest: architect, A. H. Sonnemann; builder, Kennedy E L Yancey, to build dwelling at 3606 McKinley street northwest; architects, Spelden & Spelden; builder, E. L. Yancey; estimated cost, \$3,500. John A. McCarthy, to build dwelling at 2317 17th street northwest; architect, N. R. Grimm; builder, D. J. Dunigan; esti-

mated cost, \$1,600.

John A. McCarthy, to build store and dwelling at 2343 17th street northwest; architect, N. R. Grimm; builder, D. J. Dunigan; estimated cost, \$2,000.

A. G. Herrmann, to repair dwelling at 741 11th street southeast; estimated cost, \$2,400.

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D., S. S. & A. Ry.com. 51/2 Frie Railroad com... 251/2 General Electric.... 1391/2 Gen. Motors pfd.... 78 Goodrich B. F. com. . 20 Goodrich B. F. pfd... 87 Great Northern pfd. . 1201/2 1211/2 1201/8 121 Homestake Mining... 107 Illinois Central..... 1051/2 1061/4 105 Interboro.-Met. com.. 13 133/4 Interboro.-Met. pfd. . 561/2 58 56 Int. Har. of N. J. com. 1015/8 1015/8 1015/8 Intrenat'l Paper com. 61/8

Louisville & Nashville 1301/2 131 1301/2 Minn. & St. L. pfd ... 3514 351/2 351/2 M.St.P.& S.S.Mcom. 127 127 127 127 Mo., Kan. & Tex.com. 19% Missouri Pacific..... 28 Nat. Biscuit com.... 119 119 119 Nat. Enam. & S. com. 101/2 Nevada Con. Copper. 151/6 gain and selling at 13.75.

Higher Liverpool cables, continued nervousness over southwestern weather, take of probable bullish ginning returns and predictions of bullish week-end figures seemed to inspire fresh buying.

The opening advance encountered a good deal of cotton, however, and prices eased off during early trading. The weather map showed rains southwest.

Futures opened firm; October, 13.70; December. 13.55; January, 13.29; March, 13.34; May, 13.32; July, 13.13.

The western belt forecast for frost in Oklahoma and parts of Texas and Arkansas was followed by a rally during the middle of the morning which carried active months 14 to 16 points net higher, but trading late became less active and prices at midday were 3 or 4 points off. Northern Pacific.... 10534 10634 10536 105 People's Gas, Chicago 1241/2 1241/2 1241/2 1241/2

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Southern Ry. com... 211/8 213/8

Utah Copper..... 51

Vulcan Detin'g pfd... 53

Call Money.... 3

11 a.m., 126,930

1 p.m., 237,000

Brooklyn con. 4s .... 851/4

Chi., B. & Q. joint 4s. 9416

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Inter. Metro. 4 2s. . . 74

Northern Pacific 4s... 9476

Pa. con. 31/28 1915.... 971/4 973/8

Reading Ry. 4s..... 9414 9414

Southern Pacific 4s... 921/8 921/8

Southern Ry. 4s.... 74 74 74

Union Pacific con. 4s. 97 97 97

Southern Ry. 5s.... 1031/2 1031/2 1031/2 1031/2

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Beauvais Must Return Child.

Woolworth com..... 811/8 81/4 891/8 893/4

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District Traffic Law.

# LOCAL FINANCIAL NEWS.

Two old lots of Mergenthaler and request of a number of his cred tors a

# icers will be elected next month.

Washington Railway and Electric 4s, \$1,000

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CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

BOSTON WOOL MARKET.

PARIS, October 17 .- Prices were easy on 104% the bourse today. Rentes, 87 francs 45 72. Receipts, 14.902 bushes.

last June He was formerly an attendant

# WEATHER. Cloudy, Followed by Rain Late To- Supreme Court of the United States.

night or Saturday.

on the New Engigand coast. It caused, however, rains on the New England coast valley and moving northeastward. It has been attended by general rains in the upper lake region, the Mississippi valley ported from the plains states and the Rocky mountain and plateau regions.

will be unsettled with probably rain during the next thirty-six hours over prac-tically all districts east of the Mississippi

over northwest portion. Records for Twenty-Four Hours. The following were the readings of the

Temperature same date last year-Max-Barometer—Yesterday, 4 p.m., 29.98; 8 p.m., 30.05; 12 m dnight, 30.11; today, 4 a.m., 30.13; 8 a.m., 30.17; 12 noon, 30.16; 2 p.m., 30.12

Moon-Rises 6:22 p.m.

lery Corps, is transferred to the 58th filed; plaintiff's attorneys, C. A. Keigwin company; leave for two days, October 25 and E. B. Frey; defendant's attorney, and 26, gran.ed First Lieut. Herbert A. Andrew Wilson. Acheson, Coast Artillery Corps, recruit.ng

dreary day, owing to New York and continental liquidation, which considerably lowered the values of American rails, Canadian Pacific, Brazilian

Closing Prices.

Coleman agt. Wood; order authoriz-

Linney agt. Camp; decree quieting title; plaintiff's attorneys, G. F. Williams and W. G. Gardiner; defendant's attorney, W. E. Ambrose.

Warren agt. Queen; order of publication; plaintiff's attorney, George F. Williams.

Sheckells agt. Sheckelis; time to file transcript extended; plaintiff's attorneys. Stephen & Lerch. Estate of John A. Murphy; petition for probate of will filed; attorney, D. W. Baker and W. E. Leahy.

Mackey agt. Carleton; order of publica-tion; plaintiff's attorney, George C. Gert-

returnable October 24; plaint ff's attorneys, Soterios Nicholson and E. F. Colladay; defendant's attorney, C. H. Hemans, CIRCUIT COURT NO. 1-Justice Barnard

Johnson.

Legg agt. Carter: motion to correct order and amend declaration overruled; plaintiff's attornéy, E. W. R. Ewing: defendant's attorneys, McNeill & McNeill. Keech agt. Selden and Selden agt. Selden; motions for judgment against Henry S. Selden overruled, and motion for judgment against Marshall and Daish withdrawn plaintiff's attorney, Andrew Wilson; defendant's attorney, W. McK. Clayton

CRIMINAL COURT NO. 1-Crief Justice detailed as inspector-instructor of the or anized militia of Virginia and will proceed to Richmond, Va., and take station for duty accordingly, reporting his arrival to the governor of Virginia; Brg. Gen. Dan C. Kingman, chief of engineers, detailed as a member of the joint openion of officers of the army and the navy vice.

United States agt. Arthur Ferguson, assault with dangerous weapon; plea, guilty; sentenced to penion tentiary for two years; attorney, J. C. Foster.

United States agt. Arthur Ferguson, assault with dangerous weapon; plea, guilty; sentenced to penion tentiary for two years; placed on probation; attorney, O. A. Bigoness. United States agt. Arthur Ferguson

Metzger agt. Dowling motion for judgment granted for want of better security;

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